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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT  
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Applicant: Conrad et al.

U.S. Serial No. 10/748,084

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For: METAL OXIDE POWERS  
AND METAL OXIDE-BINDER  
COMPONENTS WITH BIMODAL  
PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTIONS,  
CERAMICS MADE THEREFROM,  
METHOD OF PRODUCING  
BIMODAL METAL OXIDE  
POWDERS, METHOD FOR  
PRODUCING CERAMICS, AND  
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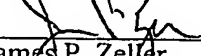
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